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FORMALITIES LETTER



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**NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION**

**FILED UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)**

**Filing Date Granted**

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The statutory basic filing fee is missing.  
*Applicant must submit \$ 710 to complete the basic filing fee and/or file a small entity statement claiming such status (37 CFR 1.27).*
- Total additional claim fee(s) for this application is \$126.
  - \$126 for 7 total claims over 20.
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(e) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.
- The balance due by applicant is \$ 966.

The application is informal since it does not comply with the regulations for the reason(s) indicated below.

The required item(s) identified below must be timely submitted to avoid abandonment:

- Substitute drawings in compliance with 37 CFR 1.84 because:
  - drawing sheets do not have the appropriate margin(s) (see 37 CFR 1.84(g)). Each sheet must include a top margin of at least 2.5 cm. (1 inch), a left side margin of at least 2.5 cm. (1 inch), a right side margin of at least 1.5 cm. ( 5/8 inch), and a bottom margin of at least 1.0 cm. (3/8 inch);

*A copy of this notice **MUST** be returned with the reply.*

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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re: Application of: David Zahner

Patent Application

Serial No.: 09/916,603

Filing Date: 7/27/2001

For: Apparatus for hanging  
articles of clothing

Attorney Docket No.: 4042.026.200

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**Transmittal Letter**

Enclosed please find: (a) a copy of the Notice to File Missing Parts of Nonprovisional Application dated 9/6/2001; (b) a Response to the Notice, including a request for a three month extension of time and (c) corrected drawings.

It is believed that \$1886 is due. This amounts to the balance set forth in the notice (\$966) and the three month extension of time fee (\$920). Authorization is hereby provided to charge Deposit Account No. 50-1604 for these fees and all further amounts that may be required, and it is requested that any overpayments be credited thereto.

Dated: February 6, 2002

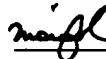
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**Response to Notice of Missing Parts dated September 6, 2001**

Applicant hereby requests a three month extension of the time provided for response to the Notice of Missing Parts dated September 6, 2001 (and any further extensions of time deemed necessary).

In response to the Notice of Missing Parts, enclosed please find corrected drawings. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge Deposit Account No. 50-1604 for any further amounts that may be required, and it is requested that any overpayments be credited thereto.

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